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Applicant: Jean-Pierre Boisseau Filed: October 14, 2004

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

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## Amendment

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 23, 2006 relating to an election of species with respect to the claims in this application.

20 The examiner classified the species in this application as follows:

Species A, Figures 2 and 3;

Species B, Figure 7; and

Species C, Figure 8.

25 Applicant hereby elects the claims in Species A, namely claims 1-13, 16, and 19-22 for examination.

Claims 14, 15, 17 and 18 are withdrawn from examination and may be cancelled if no generic claims is found to be allowable.

30 Please amend the claims as provided on page 2 of this amendment.

Remarks with respect to this amendment begin on page 8 hereof.